

Dear Authorized Representative/Food Service Director:

Please review the attachments and take the necessary action. The attached documents that are identified as SP XX-2012 are USDA memos that provide an update on regulations and must be reviewed to ensure you are operating according to regulations. This information is emailed to the Authorized Representative and Food Service Director for your School Food Authority (SFA). The Bureau of Nutrition, Health and Transportation Services new facsimile number is 515-242-5988.

**IMPORTANT - Certification of Compliance with Meal Requirements for the National School Lunch Program under the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010 (Interim Rule)**

The interim rule, *Certification of Compliance with Meal Requirements for the National School Lunch Program under the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010*, appears in the Federal Register at <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2012-04-27/pdf/2012-10229.pdf>.

**Reminder to Record Health Inspections – Report by May 25, 2012**

The Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act and Federal regulations require all schools participating in the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program to obtain two food safety inspections from the State or local governmental agency responsible for food safety inspections. Please record your health inspections from SY 2011-2012 on CNP2000 under Health Inspections by May 25, 2012. If you have questions, contact your area consultant or Diana Weber, [Diana.weber@iowa.gov](mailto:Diana.weber@iowa.gov) or call 515-281-5663.

Sincerely,  
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